1995 by the People's Union for Civil Liberties (PUCL), with the support of the National Human Rights Commission. Members of various civil liberties groups, academics, educationists, etc., participated in the discussions.

(c) and (d) The Workshop made important suggestions regarding imparting of Human Rights Education through both formal and non-formal education at all levels and for training of teachers.

(e) and (f) The National Council of Educational Research and Training and the University Grants Commission are already working for the inclusion of human rights education at the school and higher levels respectively.

Irregularities in National Library Culcutta

4109. SHRI VISHNU KANT SHASTRI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have since taken any action on the Report of Prof. Satish Chandra on the irregularities in National Library, Calcutta in 1993-94, if so the details thereof;

(b) whether any former employees of I.I.T. Kharagpur who later joined National Library, Calcutta were involved in these irregularities;

(c) whether Government propose to take into consideration the enquiry Committee Report of 1993 of I.I.T. Kharagpur while taking any action against such former employees; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPTT. OF EDUCATION AND DEPTT. OF CULTURE (KUMARI SELJA): (a) The High Powered Committee set up to look into the short-term and long-term aspects of the functioning of the National Library under the Chairmanship of Prof. Satish Chandra is yet to submit its Report.

(b) to (d) An enquiry is being conducted by the I.I.T. Kharagpur.

Reservation of OBCs in JNU

4110. SHRI HIPHEI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether student belonging to the Other Backward Classes will be provided some reservation in admission to the Jawaharlal Nehru University with effect from the forthcoming academic session;

(b) if so, the details thereof with eligibilities and formalities required for such students;

(c) whether similar essentialities will also be observed by other Universities of country from next academic session; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, reasons therefor?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPTT. OF EDUCATION AND DEPTT. OF CULTURE) (KUMAR SELJA): (a) and (b) According to the information furnished by Ministry of Welfare, no policy decision has been taken so far to provide for reservation for students belonging to Other Backward Classes in admission in education institutions. However, Jawaharlal Nehru University has decided to provide concession upto 10 points for OBC women and 5 points for OBC men candidates on production of relevant certificates issued by the competent authority. The concession would not be extended to those OBC Candidates whose parents|guardians are income tax payers and|or are included in creamy layers.

(c) and (d) As regards reservation|concession to OBSs for admission in other